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In re apply ation of:

Schuster et al

10/603,668

GROUP ART UNIT: 2859

Filed:

June 25, 2003

EXAMINER: B. Shrivastav

For:

"CONNECITON DEVICE FOR POSITIONAL FIXING OF A GRADIENT COIL ASSEMBLY..."

CONFIRMATION NO.: 3719

AMENDMENT "B"

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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Mail Stop Amendment

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated May 4, 2004, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.